

**Amendments to the Claims:**

Please add the following claims:

45. A disposable eye patch for covering a human eye, comprising:
- a sheet member sized to fit entirely inside an eye socket in a lateral dimension
- of the eye socket and/or in a vertical dimension of the eye socket; and
- an adhesive layer on at least a portion of a periphery of a surface of the sheet
- member,
- a part of the eye patch that contacts most of the eyelid being free of exposed
- adhesive.
46. The disposable eye patch according to claim 45, wherein the sheet member is
- sized to fit entirely inside the eye socket in both the lateral dimension of the eye socket and
- the vertical dimension of the eye socket.
47. The disposable eye patch according to claim 45, wherein the sheet member
- comprises biocompatible foamed plastic material.
48. The disposable eye patch according to claim 45, wherein the adhesive layer
- comprises a pressure-sensitive adhesive.
49. The disposable eye patch according to claim 45, wherein a width of the sheet
- member is in a range of from about 20 mm to about 35 mm, and a length of the sheet member
- is in a range of from about 40 mm to about 60 mm.
50. A method of protecting a patient's eye during treatment of an adjacent portion
- of the patient's face, comprising adhering a disposable eye patch according to claim 45 over
- said eye and within a corresponding eye socket of said patient.